

TWENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT.

Hopkins county.—William Amos Wortham, of Sulphur Springs, was born in Mauray county, Tennessee, November 3, 1830; moved to Texas in 1843, and located in Harrison county, and subsequently moved to Hopkins county, his present residence; received a common school education; learned the printing business, and has been editor and proprietor of the *Sulphur Springs Gazette* for a number of years; was a member of the House of the Fourteenth Legislature, a Senator in the Fifteenth, and elected to the House again November 7, 1882, over Dr. O. S. Davis, Independent Greenbacker, receiving 1368 votes to 1340 cast for Dr. Davis.